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SUBJECT: IRANIAN NEED FOR INDUSTRIAL RAW MATERIALS

REF: (A) TEHRAN 8707; (B) STATE 248492; (C) STATE 249850

1. FOREIGN MINISTER KHALATBARI SUMMONED ME AFTERNOON DECEMBER 26 TO REQUEST MY GOOD OFFICES IN REINFORCING IRANIAN EMBASSY APPROACH SET FORTH IN REFTEL (C). THE BURDEN OF KHALATBARI'S PLEA WAS THAT IRAN BE GIVEN PRIORITY, IF INDEED THERE IS A PRIORITY, IN ACQUISITION OF RAW MATERIALS NEEDED FOR IRANIAN INDUSTRY. THE FOREIGN MINISTER BELIEVES THAT SINCE IRAN HAS NOT EMBARGOED ITS OIL AND HAS DONE WHAT IT COULD TO PERSUADE ARAB COUNTRIES TO LIFT EMBARGO, IT IS ENTITLED TO PREFERENTIAL TREATMENT FROM THE UNITED STATES PARTICULARLY VIS-A-VIS THE ARAB WORLD.

2. IN REPLYING TO KHALATBARI I TOOK THE SAME LINE AS DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY DAVIES IN REFTEL (C).

3. WOULD APPRECIATE ADVISE FROM DEPARTMENT ON STATUS OF NINETEEN ITEMS PRESENTED BY IRANIAN EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON SICNE MUST
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MAKE REPLY TO FOREIGN MINISTRY. BELIEVE DEPARTMENT WILL

AGREE THAT WE SHOULD DO WHAT WE CAN FOR IRAN ON THIS RAW
MATERIALS QUESTION.
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